
SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, April 27, 2022

TIME: 4:30 PM

PLACE: Senate Lounge - State House

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [2285](#)

BY Mack, Calkin, Mendes, Valverde, Sosnowski, Kallman, Bell

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM (SEE TITLE 16 CHAPTER 97 - THE RHODE ISLAND BOARD OF EDUCATION ACT) {LC3654/1} (Requires courses in family life or sex education be taught in grades 6 -12 and be appropriate for students of all races, genders, sexual orientations, ethnic and cultural backgrounds.)

02/15/2022 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

04/21/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2572](#)

BY Cano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE {LC4091/1} (Provides that in developing alternative-learning plans, consideration shall be given to the difficulties and interruptions students experience because of the COVID-19 pandemic.)

03/10/2022 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

04/21/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2574](#)

BY Cano, Murray, DiPalma, Quezada, DiMario, Gallo, Pearson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - CURRICULUM (SEE TITLE 19 CHAPTER 97 - THE RHODE ISLAND BOARD OF EDUCATION ACT) {LC4249/1} (Amends and revises the minimum standard for the public education system's basic education program.)

03/10/2022 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

04/21/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2749](#)

(Dept. of Education)

BY Picard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PUPIL TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES {LC5380/1} (Amends the definitions of a "Pupil Transportation Vehicle" to be and constructed to seat not more than ten (10) passengers including the operator, rather than the existing limit of eight (8) passengers.)

03/24/2022 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

04/21/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2838](#)

BY Zurier, Goodwin, DiPalma, Cano, Mack, Bell, Ciccone, Quezada, Ruggerio ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE PAUL W. CROWLEY RHODE ISLAND STUDENT INVESTMENT INITIATIVE {LC5629/1} (Revises the process and procedures for state intervention and support for failing public schools, including Providence, as well as chronically under-performing schools.)

04/05/2022 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

04/21/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2841](#)

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS {LC4352/1} (Establishes courses that include instruction in career and technical education programs.)

04/05/2022 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

04/21/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2842](#)

BY Gallo, Cano, Goodwin, Pearson, Lombardo, Ciccone, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- ELECTRONIC BOOK LICENSES TO LIBRARIES AND SCHOOLS {LC5696/1} (Requires publishers to provide electronic book licenses to libraries and schools on reasonable terms, when a publisher offers to license electronic books and digital audiobooks to the public in Rhode Island.)

04/05/2022 Introduced, referred to Senate Education

04/21/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

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